

NEWS SUMMARY

Abortion choice given to doctors

A High Court judge gave doctors the right to choose yesterday whether a severely mentally handicapped woman incapable of giving her consent should have an abortion.

Boost for Bull Ring

Part of Birmingham's 23-year-old Bull Ring shopping centre could be demolished to make way for a £100 million development to revitalize the area.

Record damages

A former Royal Navy officer was awarded a record £450,000 in libel damages in the High Court in London yesterday against a Greek newspaper with a British circulation of 50.

Scott leads climb

Doug Scott, the mountaineer, is to lead an assault on the unclimbed K2, the world's second highest peak, in spite of suffering eight broken ribs in a riding accident.

Dimbleby takes over

Jonathan Dimbleby is to succeed John Timpson as chairman of BBC Radio 4's 'In Your Questions' when the programme returns in September.



Moult left £750,000

Ted Moult, the farmer and broadcaster who shot himself during a bout of depression, left estate valued at £753,013.

Husband given wife's kidney in transplant

What is believed to be the world's first kidney transplant from a woman to her husband has been carried out at the Royal Free Hospital, in London.

Mrs Janet Price, aged 51, donated one of her kidneys to her husband Ray, aged 54, who would otherwise have faced a lifetime of kidney dialysis.

By what surgeons consider to be a million-to-one chance, Mrs Price's kidney turned out to be an exact tissue match to that of her husband. Such a match is rarely found, even with blood relatives.

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BAe beaten by US in bid for space TV satellites

By Robert Matthews British Aerospace has failed to win a £200 million contract because it could not guarantee meeting the deadlines demanded. The contract, for space-based television satellites, was awarded to the US-based Hughes Aircraft Company by the network's operators, British Satellite Broadcasting (BSB).

Despite the impossibility of getting insurance for satellite launches, Hughes has undertaken to pay for the satellite if it blows up. And the American company has agreed to supply a large amount of so-called 'non-recourse' finance for the project, which means that BSB's shareholders will not have to guarantee repayment to Hughes.

British Aerospace countered critics of its handling of the bid by saying that it had offered to lend money without security to BSB by deferring the payment of several tens of millions of pounds for five to six years.

Trident plan moves ahead costing £50m every month

Work has begun on a crucial section of the fourth submarine in the Trident nuclear missile programme which is now costing about £50 million a month, it was confirmed yesterday.

The latest breakdown of Trident expenditure was disclosed in a report by the former Commons defence committee published yesterday, and shows that the financial commitment to the new system, which will replace Polaris, is increasing at a rapid rate.

Although the Government has so far ordered only one submarine, HMS Vanguard, a separate contract signed in 1984 with Vickers Shipbuilding and Engineering for the construction of the missile tubes means that work has begun on the other submarines.

According to the defence committee report, the materials for the missile tubes for the fourth submarine, known as SSBN 08, were scheduled to have arrived last month, with manufacturing work beginning this month.

Electricians back nuclear power

The electricians' union overwhelmingly rejected yesterday Labour's commitment to gradually phasing out nuclear power stations, despite its desire to return the party to power.

Although one delegate at the union's conference in Blackpool described the vote as a "kick in the teeth for Kinnoek", the decision was not unexpected.

In pursuit of the unbelievable on Derby Day

By Robin Young Trying to stop the British public losing money on Derby Day is a bit like asking rain clouds not to leak.



Smithfield faces total shutdown

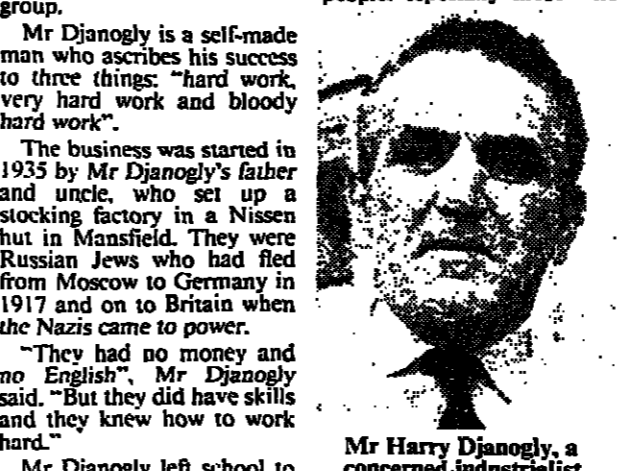
By David Sapsed Crisic talks will be held tomorrow to try to stop a shutdown of Smithfield, Britain's biggest meat market, in a dispute over union power to tell firms whom to hire.

Mr Ron Todd, general secretary of the Transport and General Workers Union (TGWU), intervened yesterday after two-thirds of the 62 firms at Smithfield had been temporarily blocked.

City technology colleges

Vision of a self-made man

By John Clare, Education Correspondent Mr Harry Djanogly, who has contributed £1 million from his personal fortune to help set up a city technology college in Nottingham, describes himself as a 'simple industrialist' who wants to see some good happen.



Mr Djanogly is a self-made man who ascribes his success to three things: "hard work, very hard work and bloody hard work".

Jobs plight 'divides London'

By Peter Evans Home Affairs Correspondent

London has the biggest concentration of unemployment of any city in the industrialized world, with more than 400,000 jobless, according to a survey released yesterday.

The report says that standards of living have diverged more rapidly in London than in rest of the United Kingdom. Between 1971 and 1985, the capital lost nearly 500,000 manufacturing jobs while the financial sector expanded to provide another 250,000 jobs.

The Department of Employment yesterday gave the seasonally adjusted figure for April as 373,700, or 8.7 per cent, unemployed.

It concludes that people's lives are ended prematurely by deprivation. The death rates of men aged between 40 and 44 and 50 and 54 who live in Hackney or Tower Hamlets, east London, are twice those in boroughs such as Bromley, south-east London.

The survey says the official Labour Force Survey suggests an unemployment figure of at least 50 per cent higher than that used by the Government, which counts only those who are eligible to claim benefit, not those looking for work who are not allowed to claim.

However the Government's figures show that 1.8 million Londoners live in or on the margins of poverty, with incomes that are on or below supplementary benefit or less than 40 per cent above it.

Stoppard case youths bailed

Three youths who admitted assaulting the son of Tom Stoppard, the playwright, at a private school, were released yesterday on bail pending reports at the Central Criminal Court.

The court was told that John Freeman, a former pupil aged 17, of Warwick Road, Earl's Court, William Gerhauser, aged 17, of Ovington Gardens, Chelsea, and Ottmar Mosbacher, aged 18, of Rutledge Gate, Knightsbridge, conducted a campaign of "considerable intimidation" against Barnaby Stoppard, aged 16.

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Any money that was saved on defective electric kettles, shoddy toasters and counterfeit Lacoste shirts would have been most welcome but was probably squandered on rank outsiders. Reference points are not the race-going shoppers' strongest suit.

Nalگو's election leaflets illegal

By Tim Jones

The local government union Nalگو was yesterday ordered to remove billboards and to stop distributing leaflets critical of the Government which had formed the basis of a £1 million campaign arguing for more money to be spent on public services.

In the High Court, the Vice Chancellor, Sir Nicolas Browne-Wilkinson, said he was in no doubt that the main message of the leaflets distributed by the National and Local Government Officers' Association was that people should vote against the Conservatives.

He granted an injunction to two Conservative trade union members, Mr Alan Paul, of the union's Wakefield metropolitan district branch, and Mr Simon Fraser, a Wandsworth branch member, prohibiting the union from pursuing its 'Make People Matter' campaign on the ground that it was unlawful under the Trade Union Act 1913.

The campaign, which had begun in January, was designed to coincide with the local elections in May and the run-up to the general election. The union had deliberately concentrated the campaign on marginal Conservative seats.

Sir Nicholas said the leaflets contained nothing critical of any party other than the Conservative Party and ran down the record of the Government since 1979.

He said: "The inference from the leaflet is really overwhelming. The only rational meaning is to vote against the Conservative Party."

Nalگو, with 750,000 members, is not affiliated to a political party nor does it have a political fund.

During the hearing, the court was told that leaders of the union had endorsed a motion pledging full support for the electoral removal of the Conservative Government, in apparent violation of Nalگو's political independence.

New move to save college

By Sarah Thompson Education Reporter

A new face-saving proposal for the troubled University College, Cardiff, which could stop the college forfeiting a £10 million hand-out from the Government, has been put forward by the University of Wales.

Financial mismanagement has been blamed for an accumulated debt of £4.5 million, which is forecast to rise to £17 million in 1989-90 unless urgent action is taken.

Strings attached to the £10 million offer include the sacking of the principal, Dr Bill Bevan, and the complete overhaul of financial affairs under the close scrutiny of the University Grants Committee.

Sir Peter Swinnerton-Dyer, UGC chairman, said this week that the college must accept a takeover proposal from the nearby University of Wales Institute of Science and Technology by 19 June or be forced to close.

But Dr Gareth Owen, vice-chancellor of Wales University and principal of University College, Aberystwyth, has proposed that the principal of UWIST should take over as principal of UCC in the first instance, continuing as head of a joint institution when the merger takes place.

The proposals are more acceptable to UCC's senate and council than a straightforward UWIST offer to put UCC staff under contract to UWIST - which UCC staff fear will mean heavy job losses.

The UCC senate has reluctantly agreed to accept UWIST's principal, Dr Aubrey Trotman-Dickenson, but the college council refuses to accept a new principal except by a majority vote of the two college councils.

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West Bank proves explosive legacy of Israeli victory

In the second of two articles on the twentieth anniversary of the Six-Day War, Ian Murray looks at the continuing tension over the West Bank territory which Israel conquered and still holds.

Prejudice and ignorance keep to Arabs and Jews apart on the West Bank and very few have acquaintance let alone friends with the other side. But 20 years of occupation and settlement are inextricably binding the land together.

Nearly one third of the working population in the territories go to work in Israel each day, between them earning about a fifth of the region's wealth. Half as many again are estimated to work illegally in Israel, earning more than they can in the territories, but less than the minimum wage decreed in Israel.

The West Bank land scramble has become a scandal, with hundreds of cases of fraud under investigation after the 1979 decision to lift the ban on private Jewish land purchase in the territories. Jordan imposed the death penalty on any Arab selling land to a Jew, but with prices soaring to \$8,000 for a quarter of an acre many took the risk. Some 30,000 acres have changed hands, of which about one fifth are thought to have been fraudulently acquired.

Because Israel is less likely to appropriate land which has been built on, both Jordan and the Palestine Liberation Organization have made home loans available. Money has poured in from Palestinians working in the Gulf and America. The construction industry is booming. The growth in the built-up areas of Hebron has been around 200 per cent since 1967. In Bethlehem it is 150 per cent, and in Ramallah 100 per cent.

In Hebron, the Arab building surge has been made more urgent by the establishment in 1968 of the Jewish settlement of Kiryat Arba less than a mile from the Arab city centre. Mr Gary Cooperberg is one settler there, a New York Jew who wanted to rediscover his roots. He now walks each morning to pray at the Tomb of the Patriarchs, the second holiest site in Judaism, now inside a mosque built in a converted Crusader church.

He walks to pray with a pistol in his pocket, but feels safer and happier than he did



in New York. For him there is no question that the West Bank is anything but part of the land of Israel.

He regards the Six-Day War as "a miracle which our leaders at the time didn't recognize. They wrested defeat out of victory. The Arabs fled and we let them come back. They were realists and we were idealists."

He sees that it would make no difference wherever he lived in the area. "The presence of just one Jew in Tel Aviv would be too much for the Arabs. There still would not be peace." But he would happily live in peace among Arabs in the land, if they accepted it as a Jewish state in which they had no vote.

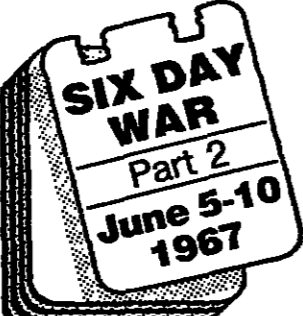
Sir Joh's campaign called off

From Stephen Taylor Sydney

Australia's conservative parties were given an important boost in the election campaign yesterday when Sir Joh Bjelke-Petersen, the Premier of Queensland, abruptly abandoned his crusade for power. The maverick Queensland Premier, an apostle of the far-right, implicitly acknowledged at a news conference that his campaign had run out of energy and money.

He offered no apologies for the divisions his foray opened between the opposition Liberal and National parties, but has evidently pledged in private that he will co-operate with other conservative leaders in the run-up to the July 11 poll.

Sir Joh's withdrawal opens the way to a renewal of the Liberal-National coalition and will unite the conservative effort behind Mr John Howard, the Liberal leader. Mr Howard has been trailing Mr Bob Hawke, the Labor Prime Minister, in opinion polls. But he emerged from talks with Sir Joh yesterday saying that despite past differences they would work together to bring down Labor, and that he was optimistic the momentum generated by the "Joh for Canberra" campaign would switch to the Liberals.



occupation, has defined the problem. "While their elders are mostly taken up with financial worries and so avoid getting into confrontations, the young people, with their improved standard of living, have the time to broaden their education."

"The Arabs' strongest impulse in reaction to their status as a powerless minority seems to be to get an education. The challenge of occupation and the psychological need not to give in to one's feeling of powerlessness have led to the paradox of a powerless Palestinian minority which is nonetheless a vibrant and increasingly cohesive community."

Israeli doves see in this an inevitable explosion. According to General Shlomo Gazit, a former chief of military intelligence, "the demonstrators have no illusions that their protests will drive the Army out. There is an expression of popular rage and a fierce desire to feel as if they are doing something."

"If we don't find some way to halt, slow down, or even reverse present trends, then the fuse which has been lit on the powderkeg of Jewish Israel's relations with the Arabs will continue to burn down, consuming what little goodwill is left. The fuse keeps burning, growing shorter, inching closer and closer to detonation."

The most obvious danger, however, is in population trends. Over the next 15 years the Central Bureau of Statistics estimates that the 1.3 million Arabs living in the territories will have increased to 2.4 million, with another million living inside Israel. The two populations in the whole area are likely to be level a decade or so later.

The father of a 20-year-old West Bank university student shot dead in a demonstration in November saw in this growth the salvation of his country. "Israel must make peace now while she is young and strong," he said. "When she is older and weaker she will not be able to get the same peace."

Concluded

Zhao says Deng retirement opposed by party members

From Robert Grievs Peking

Mr Zhao Ziyang, the Chinese Prime Minister and acting General Secretary of the Communist Party, said yesterday that, although Mr Deng Xiaoping "would very much like to retire" in October from his position as the country's senior leader, many party members still opposed the move.

Mr Zhao made his remarks at an unusual press conference held at Peking Airport just before he flew off on a 17-day official visit to five East European countries.

For the first time in a public forum, Mr Zhao allowed foreign reporters to question him on sensitive issues of the Chinese leadership succession and the controversial anti-Western influence campaign now entering its sixth month.

Mr Zhao said that Mr Deng, aged 82, has long wanted to retire at the 13th Party Congress, scheduled for this October, but that "many comrades in the rank and file of the party are not in favour" of him taking such a step.

As for himself, Mr Zhao said that after the party congress he will have only one job. He said he felt that he would be "more suitable" as the Prime Minister, but that others in the party would have to make the final decision.

In response to questions about the continuing so-called "anti-bourgeois liberalization" campaign, Mr Zhao said that it had been confined "mainly" to the party and the political side of Chinese life. He emphasized, as he and other officials have repeatedly done recently, that the campaign would not affect economic reforms.



Mr Zhao Ziyang, the Chinese Prime Minister, leaving Peking, watched by Mr Wan Li, top, the acting Prime Minister, and Mr Hu Qili, acting party General Secretary.

Mr Zhao, aged 68, said that in his absence from Peking Mr Wan Li, a senior Deputy Prime Minister, would serve as the acting Prime Minister. Mr Hu Qili, a Politburo member, would be acting party General Secretary.

The announcement spurred speculation that at the October congress Mr Wan may be named Prime Minister. The most widely-mentioned candidate for that post has been Mr Li Peng, one of the five deputy prime ministers. Mr Hu's selection to act as Gen-

eral Secretary in Mr Zhao's absence was also viewed as a challenge to Mr Li's candidacy for the prime ministership.

During his trip Mr Zhao will visit Poland, East Germany, Czechoslovakia, Hungary and Bulgaria. On his return he will make a stop in Pakistan to confer with Mr Mohammad Khan Junejo, the Prime Minister.

The purpose of Mr Zhao's trip is to cement political and economic ties with the East European countries at a time when trade between them and

China has risen to the equivalent of £1.7 billion annually.

In a related development, sources in Peking said yesterday that Mr Zhao may stop off in Sharjah, in the United Arab Emirates, to confer with the leaders of several Gulf states while on his way to Eastern Europe.

The leaders of Kuwait, the UAE and Bahrain are said to be concerned about increased Chinese arms sales to Iran and want to discuss China's position regarding the Iran-Iraq war with Mr Zhao.

'Successor' to Chun seeks end to conflict

From David Watts Tokyo

President Chun's candidate to succeed him as President of South Korea, Mr Roh Tae Woon, is expected to move quickly to seek a meeting with the opposition leadership.

With protests by Buddhists coming on top of those by Christians, journalists and more student unrest, Mr Roh is hoping to meet Mr Kim Young Sam to head off what promises to be a confrontation when the ruling Democratic Justice Party (DJP) holds a convention to name Mr Chun's successor on Wednesday.

President Chun's naming of Mr Roh, aged 59, well in advance of the meeting removes any pretence that he is anything other than the choice of the President himself, which is likely to raise the ire of the Opposition.

Whether the opposition camp will agree to meet Mr Roh is another matter, and South Korean diplomats in Tokyo believe that talks may have to wait until after the convention.

Though the early naming of Mr Roh caught some off-guard, his identity comes as no surprise.

The President and Mr Roh come from the same military background and were classmates at the Korean Military Academy. As a general, Mr Roh was a key element in the military coup which brought Mr Chun to power and he later followed the President as commander of the Defence Security Command.

Mr Roh's candidacy will now be submitted to the ruling party's central executive council and there is no doubt that it will be approved.

Austrian fury over SS man from US

Vienna - Relations between Austria and the US worsened yesterday when the Austrian Interior Minister, Herr Karl Blecha, threatened to deport Mr Martin Bartsch, a former SS concentration camp guard, back to America.

Mr Bartsch arrived in Austria last week with an American passport, hoping to settle in Salzburg where he is said to have relations, but was arrested and declared persona non grata as soon as he registered with the local police.

Herr Blecha told the US Ambassador to Austria, Mr Ronald Lauder, that he was "deeply disturbed" at the American's behaviour in stripping Mr Bartsch of his American nationality, but allowing him to retain his passport.

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Spies appeal

Sydney (Reuters) - The former Australian javelin champion Reginald Spiers, has indicated he will appeal against a death sentence imposed on him in Sri Lanka for drug smuggling, an Australian Foreign Ministry spokesman said.

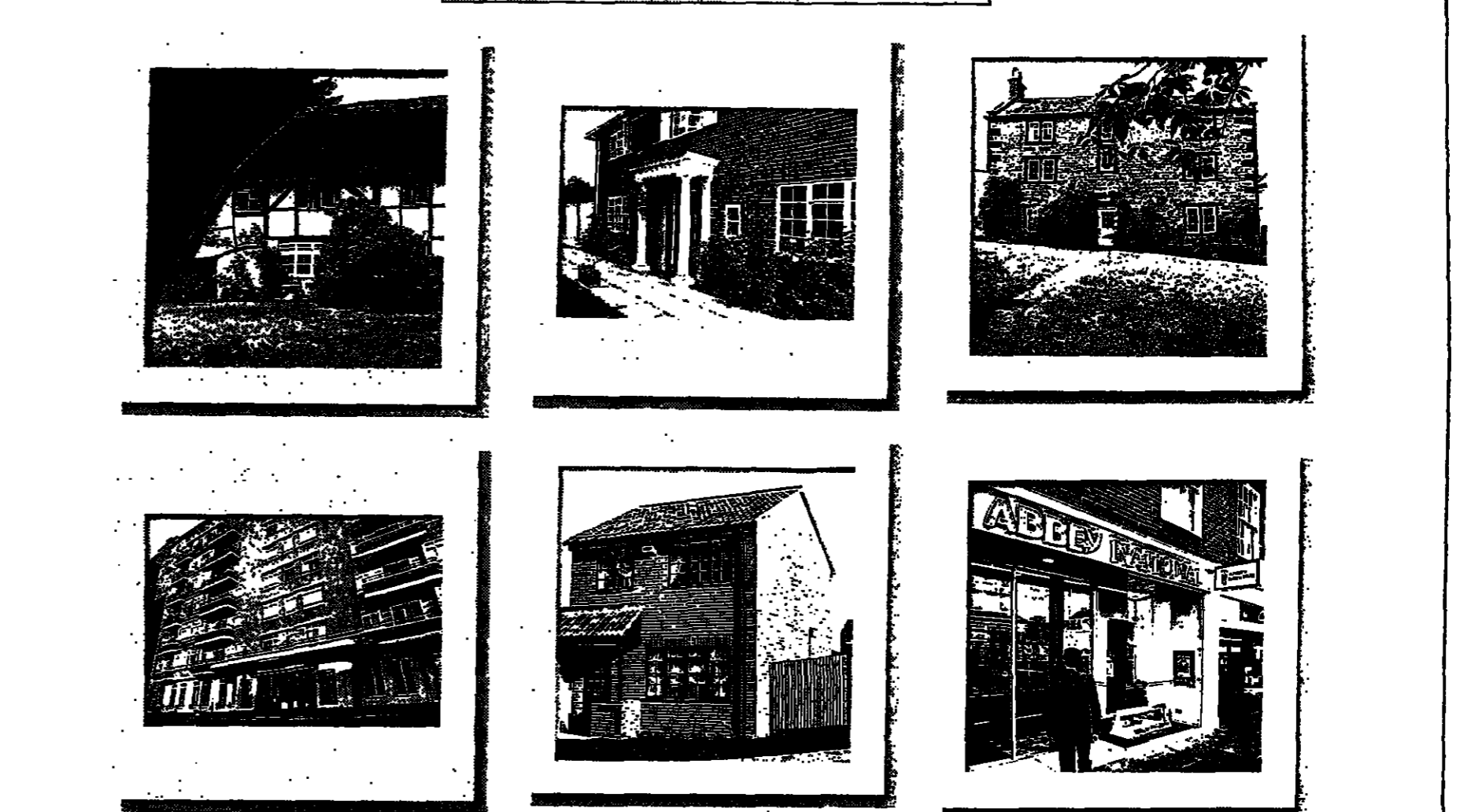
Death sentence

Moscow (AFP) - The Soviet Supreme Court has sentenced to death by firing squad Abdulakhid Karimov, the former first secretary of Bukhara region in Soviet Uzbekistan, for bribery.

Aid for China

Brussels (AP) - The EEC has granted £350,000 emergency aid for victims of the huge fires that have raged in north-eastern China since May 6.

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Labour's failed coup

I have news for Neil Kinnock, who said the other day that talk of coups toppling Labour leaders might at best make an interesting plot for a novel...

Star Nicholas

Watch out for Nicholas Lyell, a junior minister at the DHSS. Yesterday, for the second time in the election campaign, he took the stage at the morning press conference...

Carrott cut

More cold feet from the BBC? While ITV plans to precede its election results programme with a live version of Spitting Image, the BBC's equivalent attempt at political satire, Jasper Carrott's Election Confidential...

A wit has improved an Alliance poster in London's Farringdon Road that features the two Davids above the slogan 'The only fresh thing on the menu'...

Derby dropouts

The politicians' traditional day out at the Derby appears to have been ruined by the run-up to the general election. Unless my eyes are failing, the race, which attracted 250,000 spectators...

Cup fever

It was the nightmare of officials at sporting events. A muggy day, wind, crowds, sweating hands and a cup that slipped inexorably towards the concrete floor...

The Japanese are promoting what they call the ultimate convenience food: a credit card-sized meal. Called papier, the producers maintain it contains 100 per cent natural ingredients...

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The Times commissioned the Poet Laureate to add to the 1987 general election debate. This is his poetic contribution

FIRST THINGS FIRST

(An Election Duet, performed in the Womb, by foetal Twins) by Ted Hughes Poet Laureate

FIRST TWIN: If the cost of a mountain of butter is poisoned water in your tap and Cot-Death...

SECOND: Our riddle is: "Why aren't we right?" So to correct our error We can only double it In exponential terror...

And if the cost of the Expansion of the World Chemical Industry taken as a whole over the last two decades is a 40% drop in the sperm count of all human males...

Ronald Butt

True enemy of the Alliance

Dr David Owen was worried on Tuesday. He may be feeling more sanguine now as a result of the Newsnight poll of marginal constituencies which suggests an improvement in the Alliance's election prospects...

It is possible that the Alliance will put on a spurt in the last week of the campaign and increase the number of its seats. But a hung parliament still seems unlikely...

Dr Owen should note how much Mr Ken Livingstone, who is in many respects the personification of Neil Kinnock's hidden logic, wants a hung Parliament...

has at least as many dangers for Dr Owen and his friends as for the Conservatives. What, then, should the Alliance's tactics be in the final week of the campaign?

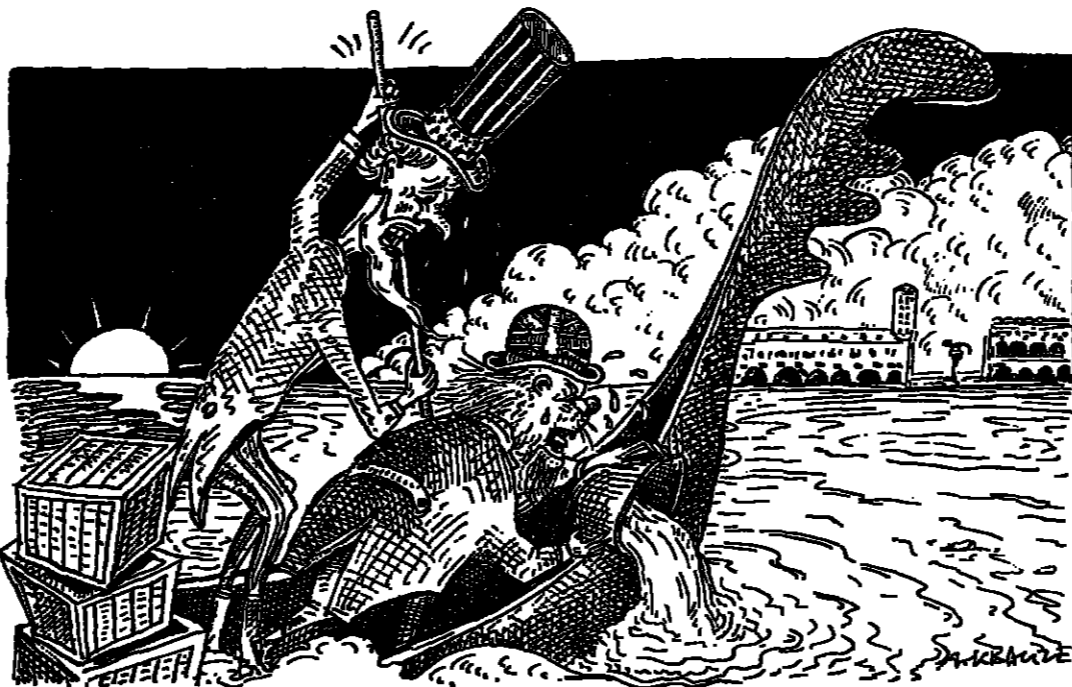
It is, of course, odd that the immediate enemy should be the party which they have to replace in the political spectrum. Since Labour has now placed itself so far outside the kind of long-term social market consensus...

Dr Owen should come off the fence, and find a way of explaining that Labour is the common enemy. He should set his sights on persuading Conservative voters that they have a common interest in defeating Labour candidates...

It would be hard to overstate the importance of this election for the future structure of class politics. The danger is that it could be thrown away by the conflict among themselves of the representatives of moderation...

Anglo-Saxon twilight

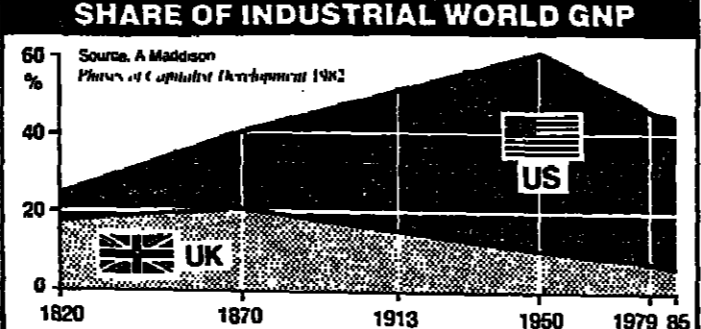
Over the past century the world economy has been dominated by two countries, the United Kingdom and the United States of America. A measure of their domination is given by adding their gross national products and comparing it with the product of the industrial world as a whole...



Tim Congdon and David Hale on the new world economic order that must follow the decline in British and US trading power

causing irritation (terrorism, trade restrictions, refusal to honour debts) to its neighbours. If these neighbours appeal to a police force at the centre, the delinquent country appeals to a rival police force. The central powers become involved in endless squabbles on behalf of aggrieved client states...

a frustrated nationalism, spawning a new political mood conducive to isolationism. As there is no single nation capable of taking over the US's place in the world, the Western alliance must now develop a multilateral framework for sharing burdens and responsibilities...



however... Basil Boothroyd

Confessions of a card shirk

At first I thought of making the announcement in the personal column, but this is cheaper. From now on I shall not be sending holiday postcards.

It isn't a decision wildly rushed into. I have had a trial run, and it worked a treat. We have already been away once this year, and I didn't send any, and none of the people I usually send them to said that they hadn't had one...

My wife sent 48. She will be around this mark again in September, when we go off once more to our pueblo. I wouldn't have counted, except from honest curiosity, admiration, and an eye on the funds. Spain, or our bit of it, is only gradually exercising her EEC postal privileges.

The 1930s are an awful warning of what can happen to a world community with several contending military rivals and to a world economy without a single central power managing a well-defined financial order. Indeed, as the sequence of 12 summit conferences preceding this week's in Venice testifies, most Western leaders have yet to grasp the full magnitude of the task which lies ahead.

Recent British history has demonstrated that it can take great nations many years to bring political expectations into line with changes in their economic resources. The problem for the Western alliance is that it cannot permit a global power vacuum to develop as post-Reagan America adjusts to its new economic status.

Next time, now that my grave decision has been reached, all such anxieties will dissolve. No cards. That's final. Besides, what fun to come back to a flock of cards from other travellers, slotted in among the junk mail, and gloat over what a bore it must have been for them.

same place. What's new to tell the twins' golden retriever, or Mrs Gibbon at the greengrocer's?

Anyway, she streams the stuff out. Many a day I'm eager for the beach while she's writing against time. "You go on down. If I don't do the McRivents today they'll never get it."

My own trial run of non-sending failed to free me from card-related stress. They arose mainly from the nagging feeling that I ought to be sending some, and from the same old braigt-teasers on what the hell to say on them if I did. There are complications. If you do think of something good, such as "Getting a great tan but sea v. cold", you must remember not to repeat it to recipients who could meet each other in the greengrocer's.

"I hear the Bs are getting a great tan," they say. "Oh, yes," says Mrs Gibbon, tipping sprouts. "But the sea's very cold." It can undermine the very relationships you were striving to uphold.

This, I think, doesn't worry my wife, crouched in a hot flat scribbling with a naked swimsuit girl. She is not in the literary line of business. The man of letters, or cards, can sweat his vacation away in pursuit of a neat turn of phrase. The laywoman just slaps it down, getting right over into the address section with descriptions of meals, or discoveries of hand-baked knots and people she used to know in Hastings, it's a small world.

Last September, before this indulgent with her theory, widely shared by travellers abroad, that to send the things in envelopes, instead of raw, speeds them on their way. They will make it from southern Granada to Haywards Heath, that is, in two weeks instead of three. But it means costlier pictures of the king.

This theory I could have shot down this very morning, when our weekly daily, on her second visit since we got back, thanked us for her picture of donkeys, in resigned attitudes and a purply Spanish dusk, which had just arrived, postmarked a month ago.

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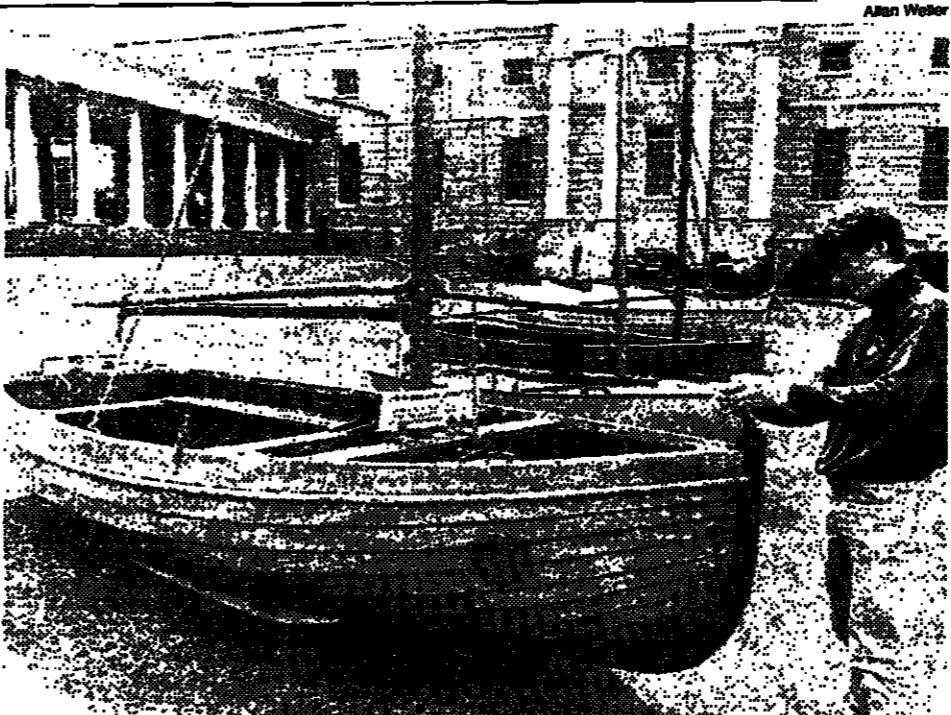
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TOP 10 UK SINGLES

- 1 (2) I Wanna Dance With Somebody, Whitley Houston...

TOP 10 UK ALBUMS

- 1 (-) Live In The City Of Life, Simple Minds...

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ART GALLERIES

ROYAL CORNWALL SHOWGROUND... ROYAL COLLEGE OF ART...

World of music mourns Segovia

From Richard Wigg, Madrid

Andrés Segovia, the Spanish guitarist and the best-known classical guitarist of all time, died on Tuesday night at his home in Madrid, aged 94, his family announced yesterday.

The maestro, who gave his first public concert in 1909, died from a clot on the lung while watching television, his doctor indicated yesterday. Segovia had been in poor health since returning in March from the last of his regular music-making trips to the United States.

King Juan Carlos is expected to pay his respects personally when the coffin is put on display in the newly-restored Spanish Academy of Fine Arts before today's funeral here.

In 1981, the King ennobled him as Marquis of Salobreña. Segovia was, with Picasso and the cellist, Pablo Casals, one of the most universally-known Spaniards this century. The Spanish Government, after the news broke, described his achievement, with what is regarded here as Spain's national instrument, as "the peak of Spanish culture in the 20th century".

Classical ambassador: In a performing career which extended over 78 years, Segovia travelled all over the world, giving concerts, making records and teaching (George Hill writes).

"Every guitarist is indebted to him in every possible way," his biographer, Graham Wade, said yesterday. "His achievement was in overcoming the prejudice against the guitar which existed, especially in Spain, where it was regarded as primarily a folk instrument."

"It was considered a *salon* instrument unsuitable for the concert hall, but he had a vision of it as equal in expressiveness to established instruments like the violin and the piano."

Segovia built up a repertoire by transcriptions and rediscoveries (of which the best-known is J.S. Bach's Chaconne), and by inducing many contemporary composers to write new music for the guitar. He was a friend and exponent of the music of Manuel de Falla. The Mexican, Manuel Ponce, Segovia's favourite composer, wrote concertos and other works for him.



Segovia: Elevated classical guitar to an art form.

£15m smiles of the classic partnership



Steve Canthen gives Reference Point a congratulatory pat after the Louis Freedman-owned colt's 1½ lengths triumph over Most Welcome and Belotto in the 208th Derby at Epsom. The son of Mill Reef, now valued at

£15 million, runs next in the Eclipse Stakes at Sandown Park on July 4. Canthen, too, had reason to smile as this was the American rider's second Derby success in three years. (Photograph: John Rogers)

Latest batch of polls bring election battle to life

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There would be any circumstances in which a minority government led by Mrs Thatcher could be sustained in office by us.

Thatcher at an Alliance rally in Nottingham, likening her to Mr Arthur Scargill.
"They both want to go on and on in office. They both believe in their divine right not to negotiate with their colleagues, let alone their critics. They both prefer confrontation to compromise, whatever the cost to their country."

negotiate with us and demonstrate they have learned the lesson of the election and have not got an outright majority for their views and therefore they have to listen to Alliance view points just as we have to listen to theirs then there it is.

"Her personality does not give any good grounds for believing she would want to stay. And presumably there would be views within the Conservative Party as to whether they might want her."

"David's view has always been that she is not prepared to listen. If she is prepared to listen I am sure he would be prepared to deal with her."

Envoy 'healthy' GP's report says

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A copy of the medical report was scrutinized by a former accident consultant surgeon with 35-years experience of dealing with all types of injuries.

A Foreign Office spokesman said last night that both Mr Ghasemi and the Iranian charge affairs were advised six days ago that any complaint of police misconduct should be launched with the Police Complaints Authority or Greater Manchester Police.

Campaign sketch

Dirty Denis stages music hall tribute

It has been said that television is killing off the strong music hall tradition of the Labour Party, but Denis Healey, that grand old man of seaside piers and party conferences, is still making "em roll in the aisles."

Out in Cardiff, he went down a storm. He makes you laugh before he even opens his mouth: that's his magic. With his face as red as a chimp's posterior, and brows that make you think a couple of squirrels are hibernating in his eyes, you can't help but smile.

quinned assistant. Would he then put her into a box and cut her up?
Between acts, Dirty Denis took a well-earned rest from the glare of the floodlights and the smell of greasepaint to tell me a thing or two about the way he puts his show together. It seems that the Geoffrey Howe Squeaky Heath Rug crack was an adaptation of his Geoffrey Howe Dead Sheep gag from way back, and he got that one from Winston who called Attlee a dead lamb. This one will run and run.

And so the curtains rolled back for the third and final act, set in a pedestrian precinct. The familiar opening scene had young and old approaching Dirty Denis singing either "I've Been a Labour Voter All My Life" or "You're A Great Man, Sir".
Then Dirty Denis picked up the megaphone. "When Sir Geoffrey Howe was here this morning it was pouring with rain", he began, "but now the sun is shining and on June 11 the sun will be shining all over the country". Boom! Boom!

For his last trick, he performed a walkabout, a potentially dangerous stunt involving the possibility of coming face to face with a member of the public. "Mrs T only talks to dogs and ducks", he quipped.
But then the unthinkable happened, and someone disagreed with him. "I was in the forces when you were minister for defence", said the ordinary member of the public, "and you shouldn't be planning to leave this country defenceless".
Dirty Denis looked cross, an emotion he signals, like so many in the political road show, by smiling. Would he give this ne'er do well a squirt of the rose?
After a thirty second discussion he rounded on him, telling him he was a liar, and had never been in the services. The man replied that he had been in Aden. Dirty Denis told him again that he was a liar, and strode off ready to shoot the puncheon over his shoulder. "Drop dead!" he shouted, and again "drop dead!" The Old Far-cour Goes to War. Ah, they don't make 'em like that any more.

Craig Brown

Opren settlement urged

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Putting the entire action in jeopardy, because of the fear of increased costs.
Yesterday the Master of the Rolls said that the costs order made was "very fair and workable".

ing claims against the same defendant. These should be looked at "to see if it had anything to offer", he said.
But he also indicated that settlement was preferable to a protracted court dispute.
After the ruling Miss Kathleen Grasham, chairman of the Opren Action Group, said that she hoped "sufficient public pressure will make Eli Lilly do the decent thing, before any more claimants dropped out."
In Britain it is alleged that 100 people died from taking the drug.

The Times Crossword Puzzle No 17,374

Grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-29.

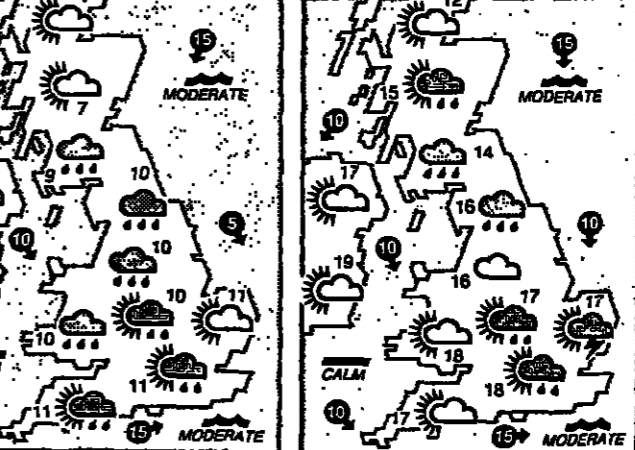
- ACROSS
1 Puss has family in the pussy-willow (6).
4 It's really bad if one is in trouble (4,4).
10 Sow in spacious shed (9).
11 Leading characters in drama will avoid reckless film stunt (5).
12 A whole plant outside, say (7).
13 Making a mistake about a sleeper (7).
14 Insect right in the middle of rock (5).
15 Stick around quarters and observe what follows (4,4).
18 Snake and dog in famous row (4,4).
20 Grandma ceremonially embraces her kinswoman (5).
23 Present sounder with periodic payment (7).
25 The ram's been trained as a pet (7).
26 Dance with branch office's head (5).
27 Type of sweet that has no equal (9).
28 Foppish fellow embraced by gorgeous girl (8).

WEATHER

Most areas are likely to see some rain during the day. In northern Scotland this will be in the form of a few light showers. There should be some sunny spells in between. Over much of England showers will be general, with only a little sunshine at times. Some of the showers will be heavy and may include hail and thunder by the afternoon, particularly in the South-east. In southern Scotland, Northern Ireland and northern England it will be generally cool and grey with some light rain, although it will brighten up from the west during the day. Outlook: after a reasonable day on Friday, many places will be rather wet on Saturday.

Weather forecast tables including ABROAD, AROUND BRITAIN, HIGH TIDES, THE POUND, and LONDON/Manchester weather.

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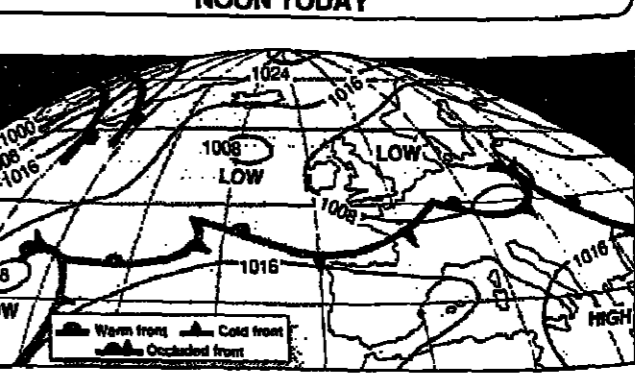
LIGHTING-UP TIME

London 9.41 pm to 4.17 am
Brighton 9.50 pm to 4.27 am
Edinburgh 10.26 pm to 4.02 am
Manchester 10.00 pm to 4.14 am
Penzance 9.56 pm to 4.45 am

HIGHEST & LOWEST

Tuesday: Highest day temp: Southend, Essex 17.0°C; Lowest day temp: Cape Wrath, Highland 9.0°C; Highest rainfall: Penzance, 0.77 in; Highest station: Stornoway, Outer Hebrides, 14.2 hr.

NOON TODAY



Information supplied by London Weather Centre

THE TIMES UNIT TRUST INFORMATION SERVICE

Main table containing various unit trust information, including columns for fund names, managers, and performance metrics.

UNLISTED SECURITIES

Table of unlisted securities with columns for company name, price, and other financial data.

INVESTMENT TRUSTS

Table of investment trusts with columns for trust name, price, and performance details.

FINANCIAL TRUSTS

Table of financial trusts with columns for trust name, price, and other details.

COMMODITIES

Table of commodity prices for various goods like oil, sugar, and copper.

THIRD MARKET

Table of third market prices for various commodities and financial instruments.

Footnote and disclaimer text at the bottom of the page.

STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES

Strong recovery

ACCOUNT DAYS: Dealings began on Monday. Dealings end June 12. Contango day June 15. Settlement day June 22. Forward bargains are permitted on two previous business days.

Prices are recorded at 5pm. Changes are calculated on the previous day's close and may differ from changes calculated by comparing 5pm prices, published the previous day. Where one price is quoted, it is a middle price. Changes, yields and price earnings ratios are based on middle prices. (aa) denotes Alpha Stocks. (VOLUMES PAGE 22)

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Table with 4 columns: No., Company, Group, Gain or loss. Lists various companies like Hall (M), Liffelchall, APV, etc.

Please take into account any minus signs

Weekly Dividend. Please make a note of your daily totals for the weekly dividend of £8,000 in Saturday's newspaper.

Table with 7 columns: MON, TUE, WED, THU, FRI, SAT, Weekly Total

BRITISH FUNDS

1987 High Low Stock Price Change % Dividend Yield %

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WALL STREET

Dow stages recovery

New York (Agencies) - Investors were encouraged by a strong recovery in the dollar and in the bond market...

Tiphook names finance chief

Tiphook: Mr Roger Braidwood joins the board as group finance director.

Rush & Tompkins Group: Mr Nigel Duggan has been appointed group managing director.

Rockwood Holdings: Mr Alastair Morrison is made an executive director.

PaineWebber International Trust: Mr Geoffrey Bignell becomes chief executive.

CT Bowring & Co: Mr MJ Thornton has been appointed financial controller of Bow-

ring UK, succeeding Mr JC Hills. Mr JS Clark becomes a director and chairman of RIAS Insurance Services, succeeding Mr EW Hall.

Cooper Estates: Mr Robert Hayhurst is made executive vice-president of Cooper Estates Inc, the US subsidiary.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

STERLING SPOT AND FORWARD RATES

Table with columns for Market rates, Sterling rates, and other financial data.

OTHER STERLING RATES

Table listing various sterling rates for different currencies and regions.

LONDON FINANCIAL FUTURES

Table showing London financial futures data including three month sterling, euro dollar, and US treasury bond.

TRADITIONAL OPTIONS

Table listing traditional options with columns for First Dealings, Last Dealings, Last Declaration, and For Settlement.

LONDON TRADED OPTIONS

Large table containing various London traded options data, including series, calls, puts, and dates.

Table with columns for various financial indicators and company names, including AMR Co, ASA, Astra Life, etc.

MONEY & GOLD

Table listing money and gold related data such as Base Rate, Sterling Rates, and Discount Market Loans.

CANADIAN PRICES

Table listing Canadian prices for various commodities and currencies.

EURO MONEY DEPOSITS %

Table showing Euro money deposit percentages for different currencies and terms.

BULLION

Table listing bullion prices for gold, silver, and platinum.

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CHESTERTON'S advertisement for an experienced negotiator in residential lettings, offering a salary of £12,000 per year plus expenses.

ROYAL NAVY OFFICER advertisement with an image of a Royal Navy officer and text about recruitment.

GENERAL APPOINTMENTS

June 4, 1987

The loss of the so-called conveyancing monopoly by solicitors, the argument with the Government on the cost of legal aid, and competition between the Bar and the Law Society over rights of audience and access to barristers have recently attracted much media coverage. But these are merely symptoms of a trend as the legal profession becomes more and more exposed to the rigours of the open market.

The resulting changes will alter significantly the public perception of the profession and its role, and in particular the kind of future on offer to potential recruits.

In London law firms have come under pressure from the City's current financial revolution, where even the large City firms have felt the wind of change, and also from the fierce competition to capture and retain work in a time of greater client mobility.

In the provinces pressure on firms has intensified because of the loss of income from conveyancing, which has in turn led to an examination of the viability of legal aid work and other small civil and criminal litigation. There is a realization that provincial firms will have to compete in areas that have largely been the province of large London law firms.

This has led to a series of provincial mergers and groupings to aid specialization and provide a wider appeal in the recruitment of graduates and other personnel.

On the one hand, provincial firms are now beginning to open London offices. On the other, the large London firms are stepping up their recruitment of qualified staff by direct action in the provincial centres.

But other factors have also altered the shape of the large City law firms, their approach to recruitment, and indeed their ability to attract high-quality personnel. The law is a rapidly changing profession.

Solicitors have, for example, been in the forefront of those embracing new technology, and Big Bang has given fresh impetus to this trend. Prospective employees expect to see in a modern solicitors' office a complete range of computerized accounting, word-processing and information systems as well as fully up-to-date computerized telecommunications. The intelligent use of such systems leads to greater efficiency and speed, fewer hours spent on a particular transaction, and thus a more competitively priced service for the client.

Another sign of competition from market forces is the exten-

Andrew Bryce: Solicitors are capable of greater efficiency, thanks to today's office systems

Law offers recruits an intellectual challenge and responsibility



Andrew Bryce is a partner in the City of London solicitors' firm of Cameron Markby

sive use of public relations by solicitors. Solicitors have been permitted to advertise since October 1985 and rules were further relaxed earlier this year. Any recruit now entering the profession does so in the knowledge that the promotion of his firm is an essential part of his professional life.

For no firm, whatever its size, can be complacent about a continuing flow of work. Consolidation of existing clients and the constant search for new work and new fields of operation is vital to survival.

Most of the large firms have now retained public relations consultants. Glossy corporate brochures are produced as well as

separate publications aimed to attract the best of the new graduates to the profession. Clients receive many written circulars on specific legal topics. Solicitors are taking on many speaking engagements and media appearances.

Large City firms are now substantial businesses and are run as such. They are generally managed by a formalized management structure, and in the future no doubt the power to incorporate under the Administration of Justice Act 1985 will lead to further changes once the Law Society has made the necessary detailed rules.

All these changes have several consequences for recruitment and training.

Non-legal professionals are now commonly employed by solicitors, notably in the areas of personnel and financial control, and in specialist areas such as pensions and computer management.

In another area, it is increasingly difficult for junior members of the Bar to make an adequate living and a considerable number of barristers are moving to the solicitors' branch of the profession, forming a large proportion of those replying to job advertisements.

The substantial rewards of legal practice at the highest level, combined with a spate of government cutbacks in higher education, have also encouraged academics to move full-time or

part-time into legal practice, either into research roles or as practising lawyers.

The spate of mergers both in London and in the provinces is likely to produce a more fluid labour market for qualified staff, particularly among the "marzipan layer" of those aspiring to partnership. Combined with the squeeze produced by rapidly rising City rents and overheads it seems inevitable that there will be an increase in the head-hunting of individuals and teams.

In the graduate market, entrants now expect firms to provide a properly structured training programme over and above the minimum training requirements

of the Law Society, and of a comparable standard to that which they would receive in commerce or from a large firm of chartered accountants. As from May this year local law societies are monitoring the quality of training received by article clerks.

The intense competition between City law firms to attract the best graduates is a reflection of the overall increase in competitiveness in the sector. The stimulus to salaries resulting from Big Bang, and government cutbacks resulting in a shortage of grants for law school have meant increasingly sophisticated financial packages to attract them.

While the demand for high-quality graduates by the large provincial and City law firms has probably increased by 100 per cent during the past five years, the number of students at universities has at best remained static. Combined with a historical lack of success in recruiting at qualified level, the competition for top-class graduate entrants is indeed fierce.

Notwithstanding the changing profile of legal firms, however, the profession still offers an attractive combination of intellectual challenge and personal responsibility with ample scope for creative thinking, and will surely continue to attract top-quality candidates.

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